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SUBJECT: SANANIKONES ENDORSE EFFORTS TO FORM COALITION

1. IN PRESS CONFERENCE FEBRUARY 20, SANANIKONE FAMILY REPRESENTATIVES, PHOUI AND NGON, STATED THEY WOULD NOT ATTEMPT TO USE THEIR INFLUENCE IN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY TO OBSTRUCT FORMATION OF NEW COALITION GOVERNMENT (PGNU). NGON STRESSED THAT, AS STIPULATED IN VIENTIANE ACCORDS, HE EXPECTS PGNU TO BE FORMED UNDER "SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES." PRIME MINISTER WILL PRESENT NAMES OF NEW GOVERNMENT MEMBERS DIRECTLY TO THE KING FOR INVESTITURE WITHOUT PASSING THROUGH THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FOR APPROVAL.

2. PHOUI SAID SANANIKONE FAMILY ENDORSES "WITHOUT RESERVATION" SOUVANNA'S EFFORTS TO ACHIEVE NATIONAL RECONCILIATION. HE ADDED THAT, IF SOUVANNA ASKED FAMILY MEMBER TO PARTICIPATE IN PGNU OR JOINT NATIONAL POLITICAL
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COUNCIL, THE SANANIKONES WOULD ALWAYS BE READY TO

SERVE THEIR COUNTRY.
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